

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

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Sidney, Maine



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OFFICERS OF THE TOWN OF SIDNEY, ELECTED
AND APPOINTED FOR THE YEAR 1921-1922

Moderator

E. C. WEEKS

Town Clerk

J. H. FIELD

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor
H. A. FAUGHT GUY H. LYON
GEO. W. MANTEE

Treasurer and Collector

E. P. WILLIAMS

Superintendent of Schools

JOHN S. TAPLEY

Superintending School Committee

Health Officer

E. P. WILLIAMS

Constable

C. S. TAYLOR

Road Commissioners

W. Y. BALLARD A. H. SMILEY

Fire Ward

H. H. PHILBRICK

Selectmen's Report

To the Citizens of the Town of Sidney:

We hereby submit our annual report for the year ending Feb. 10, 1922.

VALUATION AND TAX

Resident real estate -----	\$296,492 00
Non-resident real estate -----	96,175 00
Resident personal estate -----	93,210 00
Non-Resident personal estate -----	7,190 00

	\$493,067 00
Tax on above at \$.036-----	\$ 17,750 41
258 polls at \$3.00 -----	774 00

Total tax -----	\$ 18,524 41

APPROPRIATIONS

Highways and bridges -----	\$ 3,000 00
State aid road -----	533 00
Maintenance of S. A. road-----	100 00
School -----	4,000 00
Tuition out of town -----	600 00
Poor -----	1,400 00
Town charges -----	3,000 00
Memorial Day -----	25 00
Town fair -----	50 00
School books -----	200 00
Repair of school houses -----	200 00
Town debt -----	1,500 00

	\$ 1,460 08

TOWN OF SIDNEY

County tax -----	\$	694 33	
State tax -----		2,691 78	
Overlay -----		530 30	

		\$ 1,824 41	
Supplementary tax -----			7 30

LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY ASSESSED 1921

	<i>No.</i>	<i>Av. value</i>	<i>Total value</i>
Horses -----	381	\$89 08	\$33,940 00
Colts, 3 to 4 years -----	10	85 00	850 00
Colts 2 to 3 years -----	2	62 50	125 00
Colts under 2 years -----	4	37 50	150 00
Cows -----	590	39 24	23,153 00
Oxen -----	8	72 50	580 00
Three year olds -----	187	30 75	5,750 00
Two year olds -----	208	24 00	4,997 00
Sheep -----	65	3 00	195 00
Swine -----	2	12 50	25 00

			\$69,765 00

EXEMPT

One year olds -----	196	15 58	3,054 00
Sheep -----	258	4 41	1,158 00
Swine -----	204	15 55	3,163 00

			\$7,375 00

ALL OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

Bank stock (shares) -----	7	\$ 525 00
Stock in trade -----		1,055 00
Small boats -----	8	525 00
Standing timber -----		4,625 00

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Printing presses -----	100	00	
Automobiles -----	66	14,975	00
Musical instruments -----	29	2,600	00
Furniture -----		500	00
Hay presses -----		700	00
Motor cycles -----	2	100	00
Tractors -----	7	2,300	00
Gas engines -----	40	2,210	00
Threshing machines -----	9	420	00
			\$ 30,635 00

POOR BILLS, 1921.

Florence Warren, board & supplies for Belle Phanief -----	\$	31	40
Elmer J. Hallett, board and cloth- ing for Belle Phanief -----		283	00
Mrs. Fred Keene, board of Berry and Gardner -----		620	84
G. S. Scott, supplies for W. Berry--		3	48
Geo. W. Manter, clothing and burial expense of Belle Phanief -----		35	40
L. A. Ellis, supplies for Wm. Berry		27	82
J. B. Farrell & Co., clothing for Berry and Gardner -----		9	36
C. B. Murphy, supplies for O. Gard- ner -----		4	12
W. H. Wheeler, casket and robe for Belle Phanief -----		31	50
E. P. Williams, medical attend. on Phanief, Berry, Gardner and H. Reynolds -----		86	15
Mrs. W. Wilshire, meals for tramps		10	50
H. A. Faught, supplies for Berry and Gardner -----		2	18

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James B. Abbott, board and supplies for James Crowley -----	235 71
E. G. Graves, opening grave for B. Phanief -----	5 00
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	\$1,386 46
Appropriation -----	\$ 1,400 00
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Bal. unexpended -----	\$ 13 54

TOWN BILLS.

City Job Print, printing town reports, 1921 -----	\$ 75 00
M. L. Reynolds, watering place 19-20 -----	10 00
F. C. Foster, sealing weights and measures, 1920 & 1921 -----	8 00
E. P. Williams, Treas. & Coll., postage, fumigation and reporting births and deaths -----	238 00
H. A. Faught, services as selectman, paint and postage -----	160 00
Guy H. Lyon, services as selectman	94 25
George W. Manter, services as selectman -----	95 00
A. L. Chadbourne, watering place -----	5 00
F. G. Farrington, legal advice -----	2 00
W. B. Arnold & Co., iron and horns for ferry -----	4 45
J. Frank Pierce, supplies for office	11 80
Brookside Press, printing town orders and bills -----	7 50
A. H. Smiley, labor on ferry boat -----	8 50
John S. Tapley, services as Supt. of Schools -----	366 66

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Warren Mitchell, fighting fire and use of truck -----	3 90
T. S. Benson, for Memorial Day-----	25 00
A. W. Bowman, sheep killed by dogs-----	30 00
M. L. Goodhue, sheep killed by dogs-----	9 00
W. G. Folsom, attend. on D. Smith-----	2 50
J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman 1921 -----	453 21
I. W. Mitchell, fighting fire -----	2 50
C. S. Taylor, town fair and services as constable, one half ins. on hall-----	73 25
Audrey Goodheart, fighting fire-----	2 50
G. R. Campbell, commitment of D. Smith -----	10 00
E. C. Wyman, services ballot clerk-----	2 50
D. A. Field, gravel for Middle Road-----	14 20
Mrs. G. P. Ellis, gravel for Middle Road -----	1 50
Harry Hughes, labor on ferry boat-----	2 50
J. M. Thayer, labor and material for ferry boat -----	7 50
Waterville Sentinel Pub. Co., print- ing notices -----	2 50
Herbert Philbrick, services as fire ward -----	7 50
Charles Ellis, services as ballot clerk -----	2 50
F. A. Barnard, housing roller -----	4 00
E. C. Weeks, services as moderator 1920 and 1921 -----	4 00
W. M. Wilshire, housing roller-----	5 00
C. B. Warren, watering place -----	5 00
Laforest Trask, housing roller -----	5 00
F. W. Faught, sheep killed by dogs-----	12 00
E. L. Swift, housing roller-----	3 00

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F. W. Faught, team for hearse, 11 trips	44 00
Irene F. Hughes, sheep killed by dogs	6 00
C. D. Clark, housing roller	5 00
Kennebec Journal, printing tax ads.	20 00
Dr. L. E. Reynolds, reporting deaths	50
E. A. Field, team for hearse	12 00
Town of Vassalboro, bal. due on ferries	35 88
J. H. Field, services as town clerk, postage, etc.	55 58
A. W. Hammond, services as ballot clerk	2 50
Mrs. Cora Winslow, mother's aid	480 00
	\$2,438 18
Tuition (out of town)	1,468 75
Snow bills 1920	40 74
Abatements 1920 and 1921	108 50
	\$4,056 17
Appropriation, town charges	\$ 3,000 00
Memorial Day	25 00
Town fair	50 00
Tuition out of town, appro.	600 00
Recd. from state on tuition	500 00
Recd. from state for sheep killed by dogs	39 00
Recd. from state on mothers' aid	292 50
	\$4,506 50
Bal. unexpended	\$ 450 33

HIGHWAY BILLS PRIOR

Alton Bowman -----	\$ 11 00
George M. Ellis -----	3 25
Walter Blaisdell -----	45 00
George Getchell -----	6 05
George S. Shaw -----	1 50
Fred Keene -----	1 50
Fred Warren -----	4 71
E. C. & O. H. Bowden -----	7 97
James Dyer -----	2 00
Louis Swift -----	13 50
J. M. Thayer -----	1 50
D. A. Field -----	15 00

\$112 98

HIGHWAY WINTER 1921

Alton Bowman -----	\$ 1 33
Arthur Robinson -----	1 38
John Berry -----	1 50
Fred Keene -----	2 25
Elmer Burnham -----	1 38
Wm. Y. Ballard -----	16 20
Louis Swift -----	12 70
E. C. Knowles -----	4 00

\$40 74

HIGHWAY, SUMMER 1921

C. D. Clark -----	\$ 53 95
Alton Cummings -----	93 00
R. C. Smiley -----	117 77
Charles M. Goff -----	164 45
J. H. Ward -----	193 82
S. W. Goff -----	6 30

TOWN OF SIDNEY

A. H. Smiley	494	15
F. G. Creed	166	15
C. M. Conant Co.	12	00
Brooks Hardware Co.	33	50
Fred Keene	18	90
Percy French	114	00
Lyman Moore	32	24
Walter Blaisdell	88	20
A. J. Perry	106	50
G. E. Sherrard	86	32
Geo. Bronson	144	90
Charles Libby	37	50
W. Y. Ballard	313	60
C. C. Burnham	90	00
W. B. McArthur	6	00
V. F. Hamlin	12	00
M. A. Haskell	2	00
H. M. Hammond	4	50
Wm. B. Haskell	48	50
Andrew Davidson	5	33
C. H. Lyon	28	80
Good Roads Machine Co.	34	50
Robert Senergie	1	50
Geo. Newell	3	00
Howard Whitney	1	10
G. H. Green	129	15
T. W. Longley, Jr.	8	10
F. W. Hamlin	9	00
A. L. Clark	3	50
John Griffin	13	50
J. H. Bean	6	30
Mrs. M. P. Springer	4	95
Otto Bowden	8	05
E. B. Sibley	10	00
Charles Sibley	9	00
E. A. Sibley	13	40

Orrin Kendall	16	50
I. W. Lowell	7	50
Alex. Mills	13	50
E. L. Swift	3	00
Fred Warren	30	80
John Berry	7	50
Ralph Ballard	4	50
J. E. Sawtelle	10	85
Michael Senergie	1	76
W. B. Haskell	2	40
Louis Swift	15	00
W. M. Wilshire	61	70
B. L. Woodward	3	00
M. I. Knight	8	27
O. W. Smiley	9	45
M. H. Bailey	5	10
L. M. Bragg	37	80
John Pihlgren	3	75
Peavy Bros.	56	65
F. B. Bailey & Son	18	60
Berger Mfg. Co.	72	00
C. A. Graves		55
		\$3,119 61
Prior bills	198	98
		\$3,318 59
Appropriation	3,000	00
Bal. unexpended		\$ 318 59

STATE AID ROAD, 1921

Berger Mfg. Co.	\$	82	94
W. Y. Ballard		341	81
Percy French		34	50

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L. Abbott -----	36 00
A. J. Perry -----	125 25
Fred Goodheart -----	186 00
Walter Blaisdell -----	171 00
Fred Keene -----	22 50
C. C. Burnham -----	62 25
Roy Tilson -----	129 75
Walter Haskell -----	92 25
W. B. Haskell -----	57 00
A. G. Cummings -----	31 50
Geo. Bronson -----	207 00
Bigelow Barnard -----	78 75
Everett Freeman -----	1 98
Harold Skinner -----	1 98
E. C. Sterling -----	51 00
George Ellis -----	4 50
Lewis Gallup -----	30 00
W. G. Folsom -----	15 00
Charles E. Smith -----	36 00
Lewis Ellis -----	30 00
George Green -----	6 00
Wm. Keene -----	8 00

Total expended by town -----	\$ 1,842 96
Expended by state -----	24 10

	\$ 1,867 06
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Appropriated by town -----	\$ 533 00
Appropriated by state -----	708 89
Third class appropriation -----	844 89

	\$ 2,086 78
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Bal. unexpended -----	219 72
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MAINTENANCE OF STATE HIGHWAY 1921

George Newell -----	\$	9 00
J. H. Ward -----		9 00
W. Y. Ballard -----		31 50
C. H. Lyon -----		9 90
S. W. Goff -----		3 50
Verner Hamlin -----		9 00
E. B. Tanner -----		12 60
Fred Hamlin -----		9 00
A. H. Smiley -----		13 90
R. C. Smiley -----		18 90
O. W. Smiley -----		6 75
George Bronson -----		18 00

	\$	151 05
Appropriation -----	\$	100 00
Recd. from state -----		92 57

	\$	192 57
Bal. unexpended -----	\$	41 52

MOTHERS' AID 1921

Mrs. Cora Winslow -----	\$	480 00
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ACCOUNT OF VASSALBORO AND RIVERSIDE
FERRIES

J. S. Tracy, services at Riverside as ferryman 35 5-7 wks, at \$18 and one week at \$21.00 -----	\$	663 86
Repairs and labor on boat-----		25 95

Total cost -----	\$	689 81
Receipts -----		210 65

Deficiency -----	\$	479 16

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Due from Vassalboro 3-8 -----	179	69
Frank Woods services as ferryman		
at Vassalboro, 251 days at \$2.60 \$	652	60
Repairs on boat -----	34	11

Total cost ----- \$	686	71
Receipts -----	111	85

Deficiency ----- \$	574	86
Due from Sidney 3-8-----	215	57
Due from Vassalboro -----	179	69

Bal. due Vassalboro ----- \$	35	88

ABATEMENT OF TAXES 1920

D. L. Weeks, tax on automobile-----\$	35	60
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ABATEMENT OF TAXES 1921

Harry Taylor paid in Portland-----\$	3	00
Ernest Abbott paid in Bangor -----	3	00
John Logue error in assessment -----	2	16
Geo. Austin abated total tax-----	47	64
A. D. Stevens error in assessment	2	70
Elmer Newell paid in Manchester	3	00
James Folger, deceased -----	3	00
John Miller, soldier -----	5	40
Chas. Nichols, inability to pay-----	3	00

\$	72	90

Resources.

Due from E. P. Williams ----- \$	606	23
Due from estate of Leroy Page		
(per estimate) -----	200	00

Due from state on account of sheep killed by dogs -----	12 00
Due from state, mothers' aid-----	20 00

	\$838 23

Liabilities.

Vileda Bean's note -----	\$ 400 00
M. L. Reynolds' note with int.-----	3,125 01
S. C. Hastings' note with int.-----	1,041 67
State Trust Co. -----	1,018 06

Bal. against town -----	\$ 5,584 74
E. & O. excepted	\$ 4,746 51

H. A. FAUGHT,
GUY H. LYON,
GEO. W. MANTER,

Selectmen of Sidney.

Treasurer and Collector's Report

RECEIPTS FROM FEB. 10, 1921 TO FEB. 10, 1922

Balance on hand Feb. 10, 1921	\$ 117 56
Received from State Trust Co.	7,500 00
from State Treas, dependent mothers	292 50
from State Treas, soldiers pensions	48 00
from State Treas, highway department	1,047 39
from State Treas. Imp. state roads	465 07
from State Treas. highway patrol	92 57
from State Treas. damage to domestic animals	39 99
from State Treas. mill & school funds	692 53
from State Treas. common school fund	913 31
from State Treas. equalization fund	270 00
from State Treas. free high schools	500 00
J. H. Field, dog tax	96 00
J. H. Field, misc.	1 00
State Trust Co., int. on check acct.	17 41
Commitment 1921	18,524 41
Supplementary tax	7 80
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	\$ 30,624 55

EXPENDITURES FROM FEB. 10, 1921, TO FEB. 10, 1922

Paid Olive Gerough, state pension	\$ 48 00
M. L. Reynolds, interest	150 00
S. C. Hastings, interest	50 00
State Treas., highway patrol	524 44
State Treas., dog tax	96 00
State Treas., state tax	2,691 78
County tax	694 33
State Trust Co., notes	8,100 00
State Trust Co., interest	250 53
Vileda Bean, interest	20 00
Town bills	4,015 43
Poor bills	1,386 46
School bills	6,724 01
Highway bills	5,267 34
Balance on hand Feb. 10, 1922	606 23

	\$ 30,624 55

Held in trust for J. O. Drummond	
estate	\$ 100 00
Interest accumulated on above	66 57
Held in trust for O. M. Sibley es-	
tate	200 00
Interest accumulated on above	64 53

E. P. WILLIAMS,

Treasurer and Collector.

Town Clerk's Report

MARRIAGES FROM FEB. 10, 1921, TO FEB. 10, 1922.

Sept. 25. Roy C. Smiley and Inez E. Fitch.

BIRTHS FROM FEB. 10, 1921, TO FEB. 10, 1922.

Feb. 18. Ida May Pooler, female; parents, Raymond and Alice.

Feb. 27. Louisa Delina Pair, female; parents, Joseph and Louisa.

April 2. Raleigh Marsden Merrow, male; parents, Frank and Alvina.

April 10. George Melvin Bronson, male; parents, George and Fareda.

April 13. Otto N. Bowden, Jr., male; parents, Otto and Mabelle.

June 26. Alna Doris Cummings, female; parents, Alton and Gladys.

July 11. Alfred Cecil Wescott, male; parents Cecil and Eva.

July 29. ——— Simonovich, male; parents, Ed and Josie.

Aug. 4. Merle Smiley Tilton, male; parents, George and Lydia.

Aug. 11. Stanley Daniel Bartlett, male; parents, Cleon and Mildred.

Aug. 18. Paul Edward Nichols, male; parents, John and Alice.

Sept. 28. Phylis Madalene Warren, female; parents, Steven and Florence.

Oct. 18. Lulie Opal Tilton, female; parents, Clifton and Hattie.

Nov. 9. Clifford Richard Duquille, male; parents, Arthur and Aglezia.

Nov. 11. David Martin Goodhue, male; parents, Martin and Evelyn.

Nov. 12. Ralph Leroy Skinner, male; parents, Edward and Cecile.

Nov. 24. Paul Philip Kelly, male; parents, Francis and Jessie.

Dec. 16. Alton Barzille Webber, male; parents, George and Annie.

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Jan. 17. Arthur B. Davenport, Jr., male; parents, Arthur and Fernella.

Feb. 9. Willis Chase Manter, male; parents Selden A. and Inez C.

DEATHS FROM FEB. 10, 1921, TO FEB. 10, 1922

Feb. 25. Sarah E. Tanner, age 74; cause, broncho-pneumonia.

March 9. Cora B. Bailey, age 61; cause, intestinal infection.

March 12. George W. Lewis, age 8; cause, hemorrhage from cut of axe on back.

March 18. Gorham K. Hastings, age 91; cause, adhesions of bowels causing stoppage.

March 29. Fred Doyle, aged 63; cause, acute dilation of heart.

April 25. Jennie Bowman, aged —; cause, cerebral hemorrhage.

April 25. Augusta C. Ward, aged 74; cause, chronic interstitial nephritis.

April 29. Amy Austin, aged 44; cause, broncho-pneumonia.

May 5. James W. Folger, age 44; cause, cancer of liver.

May 27. Madison P. Sawtelle, age 87; cause, broncho-pneumonia.

June 2. Beatrice B. Newall, age 19; cause, typhoid fever.

Aug. 8. Benjamin F. Brackett, age 82; cause, heart disease.

Sept. 12. Albert H. Palmer, age 82; cause, cerebral hemorrhage.

Oct. 21. Helen J. Farnham, age 73; cause, mitral insufficiency.

Nov. 21. Hannah B. Williams, age 67; cause, cerebral hemorrhage.

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Jan. 19. Forest M. Bragg, age 57; cause, cerebral hemorrhage.

Jan. 23. James Dyer, age 65; cause, mitral insufficiency.

J. H. FIELD, *Town Clerk.*

Report of Sidney Town Fair, 1921

Appropriated by the town	\$	50 00
Balance unexpended 1920		13 51
Ground rent		17 25
Recd. for dance		5 00
 Total received		\$ 85 76

Expenses.

Paid for bills	\$	10 00
Paid for cleaning hall and grounds		3 00
Paid for books, ribbons and tags		3 00
Paid for dance music		4 00
Paid for ball game		10 00
Paid premiums		50 75
 Total expense		\$ 80 75
 Balance unexpended		\$ 5 01

Respectfully submitted,

C. S. TAYLOR,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Superintendent of Schools' Report

To the School Committee and Citizens of Sidney:

I herewith submit my fourth annual report of the schools for the year ending Feb. 20, 1922.

In many respects this has been a successful school year. The weather has been very favorable, there have been no epidemics and our teaching force has been capable and efficient and in most cases teachers have remained at the same school for the year.

The standard of a rural school cannot rise above that mark of efficiency determined by the efforts and desires of the parents and citizens of the district. Schools of the highest type will be found where the largest amount of community spirit exists. The welfare of a school depends quite as much on the interest and support of the parents as upon the efforts exercised by the teacher. No school is complete unless parents, pupils and teacher harmonize and work together for the common good.

The teacher with her little flock, isolated from the community, giving her best work, striving to please all factions and still do right, is sometimes found in the rural schools of this state, and I call your attention to this fact that you may appreciate the position of the teacher and that you may awaken to the fact that it is the duty of each one of us to make the school a success.

One thing which causes a misunderstanding between the parent and the school is the fact that the general course of study is gradually changing from year to year. From time to time new methods and subjects are being introduced into the school curriculum that the child's intellectual life may

conform to the ever changing social and industrial life about him. If we look backward twenty-five years we realize the many drastic changes that have taken place in all walks of life. These changes at first were hard to accept but gradually have they become a part of our daily life.

Whatever our idea of an educational standard may be, we must follow closely the national standard, fashioned by the best brains of the country and embracing what is best and noblest for the future manhood and womanhood. "Be not the first by whom the New is tried; Nor yet the last to cast the Old aside."

REPAIRS.

Some repair work was found necessary especially at the Town Farm School. This building has been painted on the inside, the plastering mended and the ceiling whitened. The building in District No. 1 was shingled on one side and minor repairs made. The glass in many of the schools was out. This has been replaced and the windows puttied.

Much credit is due the teacher in District No. 10, through whose efforts the building has been painted and papered on the inside without expense to the town. In other districts various improvements have been made by teacher and pupils.

Many of the buildings need painting on the outside and in some of the schools the room should be papered and painted as a sanitary measure.

IMPROVED SANITATION IN THE RURAL SCHOOLS.

At the last legislature the following act was passed: "On and after the first day of September, 1924, all school buildings or buildings used for school purposes shall be provided with toilet facilities, that shall be installed in such a manner and location as to insure privacy, cleanliness and supervision by teachers, and shall meet at least one of the following minimum requirements:

- (a) Flush closets connected with a sewer, etc.

(b) Chemical closets of such type as shall be approved by the state superintendent of public schools, etc.

(c) Privies located in attached buildings provided with separate compartments for the sexes, accessible only by separated ventilated passageways from school rooms or corridors and constructed in such a manner that the vault of said privy shall be at least ten feet from the school room wall and adjacent to the outside wall of the building in which said privy is located."

Towns have now about two years to complete this work and the penalty for not complying with this act is the withholding of the state school funds.

We have but two buildings in which the toilet arrangement is standard and there are eight schools in which the toilet arrangements will have to be changed.

You will note of the three types of closets probably the most practical as well as economical is type C or the common privy. The outbuilding should be at least 12x16 feet. This will allow a wood space through the center 8x12 feet and a closet and passageway 4 feet wide on each side. Each passageway connected to the main room by door.

The vault should be constructed so as to be easily drawn out and cleaned. It is impossible to accurately estimate the cost of the work as conditions differ in each district. However, I believe the present out buildings can be used in the construction of the new addition in each district.

The town should authorize the committee to complete the work at four schools preferably in districts Nos. 3, 6, 4 and 9.

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT .

Receipts.

Town appropriation -----	\$ 4,000 00
Town for school debt -----	500 00
Common school fund -----	913 31
School fund and mill tax -----	692 53

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Equalization fund	270 00
	\$ 6,375 84
Overdrawn 1921-1922	494 86
	\$ 6,870 70

Expenditures.

TEACHERS

Fred Barker, No. 4	\$ 150 00
Mildred Morris	300 00
Myrtle Conforth	200 00
Masey Flynn	550 00
Angelina Sawtelle	450 00
Annie Davis	450 00
Ruth Lyons	30 00
Mildred Morris	150 00
Lucy Wyman	30 00
Jeannette Ballard	450 00
Helen Perrin	150 00
Clyde Clark	390 00
Emma Goff	300 00
June Towle	300 00
Nathalie Thurston	300 00
Jennie Brackett	300 00
	\$ 4,500 00

CONVEYANCE.

W. M. Cowan	\$ 300 00
Will Bowman	300 00
Ira Taylor	390 00
Ira Foss	220 00
Velma Ellis	100 00
Percy Hallett	2 00
	\$ 1,312 00

TOWN OF SIDNEY

JANITORS.

For school No. 1-----	\$ 15 00
For school No. 2-----	15 00
For school No. 3-----	15 00
For school No. 4-----	15 00
For school No. 5-----	10 00
For school No. 6-----	15 00
For school No. 7-----	15 00
For school No. 8-----	15 00
For school No. 9-----	15 00
For school No. 10-----	15 00

	\$ 145 00

WOOD ACCOUNT.

Percy Hallett -----	\$ 86 00
O. W. Abbott & Son -----	80 00
R. C. Smiley -----	6 25
Fred Keene -----	10 00
Arthur Bowman -----	2 00
Fred Blake -----	150 00
Ernest Lewis -----	6 00
George Sherrard -----	4 00
William Cowan -----	50 00
Percy Hallett -----	17 00
Harold Reynolds -----	2 00

	\$ 413 25

BOARD ACCOUNT.

Mrs. Herbert L. Haskell-----	\$ 22 50

Overdrawn 1920-1921 -----	\$ 22 50

Total expenditures -----	\$ 477 95

	\$ 6,870 70

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REPAIR ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

Appropriation of town -----	\$ 200 00
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Expenditures.

Mrs. John Sawtelle -----	\$ 5 30
William Cowan -----	1 00
George S. Scott -----	1 00
Alfred Stevens -----	10 00
City Job Print -----	3 00
Lyman Moore -----	2 50
Esther Blaisdell -----	6 00
J. L. Hammett & Co. -----	3 87
S. D. Tenner -----	60
Proctor & Bowie -----	37 38
Mrs. James Murray -----	4 00
Clyde Clark -----	16 92
L. H. Gray -----	32 00
June Towle -----	6 00
W. G. Folsom -----	5 00
L. H. Gray -----	12 90
Mrs. George Nichols -----	1 00
R. C. Ballard -----	5 00
Mrs. Marcus Page -----	4 00
George Sherrard -----	5 00
Clyde Clark -----	8 25
William Cowan -----	2 50
D. M. Marshall & Co. -----	8 14
Angelina Sawtelle -----	60
D. M. Marshall & Co. -----	3 80
W. P. Marble -----	75
Harold Reynolds -----	1 00

\$ 187 51

TOWN OF SIDNEY

Unexpended -----	12 49

	\$ 200 00

TEXTBOOK ACCOUNT

Receipts.

Town appropriation -----	\$ 200 00
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Expenditures.

Ginn & Company -----	\$ 54 19
D. H. Knowlton -----	50
E. E. Babb & Co. -----	15 31
American Book Co. -----	30 98
J. L. Hammett & Co. -----	34 47
John Winston Co. -----	7 05
Loring, Short & Harmon -----	1 25

Unexpended -----	\$ 56 25

	\$ 200 00

FREE HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

Appropriation -----	\$ 600 00
State -----	500 00
Unexpended 1921 -----	260 00
Overdrawn -----	108 75

	\$ 1,468 75

Expenditures

City of Bangor -----	\$ 70 00
City of Augusta -----	275 00
Oak Grove Seminary -----	280 00

Town of Belgrade -----	85 00
Town of Oakland -----	743 75
Coburn Classical Inst. -----	15 00

	\$ 1,468 75

RECOMMENDATIONS.

In our estimate of the school expense for the coming year we have considered \$450 the average wage of the teacher for thirty weeks and the same amount of conveyance per school. The high school tuition remains the same \$60 per year.

Common schools -----	\$ 5,000 00
General repairs -----	100 00
Textbooks -----	200 00
New closets -----	400 00
High school tuition -----	850 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. TAPLEY,

Superintendent of Schools.

Warrant for Town Meeting

*To C. S. TAYLOR, Constable of the Town of Sidney in the
County of Kennebec,*

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Sidney, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in said town, on Monday, the sixth (6th) day of March, A. D., 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To choose a town clerk.

Art. 3. To choose three selectmen.

Art. 4. To choose assessors of taxes.

Art. 5. To choose one member of school board.

Art. 6. To choose a treasurer.

Art. 7. To choose a collector of taxes.

Art. 8. To choose a fire warden.

Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to choose one or more road commissioners.

Art. 10. To choose overseers of the poor.

Art. 11. To choose constables.

Art. 12. To choose fence viewers.

Art. 13. To choose a pound keeper.

Art. 14. To choose field drivers.

Art. 15. To choose surveyors of wood and bark.

Art. 16. To choose surveyors of logs and lumber.

Art. 17. To choose a town auditor.

Art. 18. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for making and repairing highways and bridges, and determine in what manner it shall be expended.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the town to state aid as provided in section 19, of chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 20. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$533 for the improvement of the section of state aid road as outlined in the report of the state highway commission, in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways and bridges; the above amount being the maximum which the town is allowed to raise under the provisions of section 18, chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money and what sum for the maintenance of state aid highways under the provisions of sections 8, 17, 26, 27, 28, chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Art. 22. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of common schools.

Art. 23. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for tuition of scholars attending schools and academies out of town.

Art. 24. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of poor.

Art. 25. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray town charges.

Art. 26. To see if the town will vote to authorize one of the selectmen to sell and convey land bought for taxes.

Art. 27. To see if the town will vote to authorize the treasurer with the consent of the selectmen, to hire money for the use of the town.

Art. 28. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$25 for Memorial Day.

Art. 29. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purchase of school books.

Art. 30. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the repair of school houses.

Art. 31. To see if the town will vote to appoint a committee to recommend the appropriations for 1923, the same to be published in the next annual report.

Art. 32. To see if the town will vote to hold a fair in 1923.

Art. 33. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for a fair.

Art. 34. To choose officers for the fair.

Art. 35. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the town debt.

Art. 36. To see if the town will vote to cover the plastering in the selectmen's office with steel ceiling and raise and appropriate \$50 for that purpose.

Art. 37. To see what sum the town will vote to raise and appropriate for marking graves of paupers.

Art. 38. To see if the town will vote to reimburse A. D. Stevens, \$3.34 error in tax 1920.

Art. 39. To see if the town will vote to pay the superintending school committee for their services.

Art. 40. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$300 for railing bridges and dangerous places on the highway.

Art. 41. To see if the town will vote to pay the selectmen \$3.00 per day.

Art. 42. To see if the town will vote to accept the list of jurors.

Art. 43. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen and treasurer to be at the selectmen's office the first and third Saturdays in each month, with the road commissioners subject to call.

Art. 44. To see if the town of Sidney will accept the sum of \$50, the same to be placed in some savings bank, the interest in same to be applied annually to the perpetual care of the lot of Ambrose H. Sawtelle in the Tillson Cemetery so-called.

The selectmen give notice that they will be in session at their office, for the purpose of correcting the list of voters, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of the day of said meeting.

Hereof fail not to make due returns of this warrant with your doings thereon with the clerk of said town on or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 15th day of February, A. D. 1922.

H. A. FAUGHT,
GUY H. LYON,
GEO. W. MANTER,

Selectmen of Sidney.

Report of Committee on Recommendations

Art. 18.	Repair of highways and bridges	\$ 3,000 00
Art. 19.	Yes.	
Art. 20.	Voted in favor of state aid road the sum	533 00
Art. 21.	For maintenance of state aid road	125 00
Art. 22.	For the support of common schools	4,000 00
Art. 23.	For tuition of scholars out of town	850 00
Art. 24.	For support of poor	1,200 00
Art. 25.	For town charges and snow bills	3,500 00
Art. 28.	For Memorial Day	25 00
Art. 29.	For school books	200 00
Art. 30.	For repair of school houses	500 00
Art. 35.	For town debt	1,000 00
Art. 39.	That town pay school committee.	
Art. 40.	For railing bridges and dangerous places	300 00
Art. 41.	That the town pay the selectmen \$3.00 per day.	

Estimated rate of taxation based on above appropriations,
\$0.040.



